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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Mathias Bauer, Stefan Taxhet, Lutz Höger,
Hans-Peter Burow

Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Title: A METHOD, SYSTEM, AND GRAPHIC USER INTERFACE
FOR FILE SYSTEM NAVIGATION

Serial No.: 09/738,456 Filed: December 13, 2000

Examiner: Blaine T. Basom Group Art Unit: 2173

Docket No.: P-4580

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated June 5, 2003 in the above application:

1. Return Receipt Postcard;
2. Transmittal Letter (2 pages); and
3. Amendment (12 pages).

- ☒ No additional claims fees are required.
- ☐ The additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

Transmittal Letter
Serial No. 09/738,456

September 5, 2003

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Pres ent Extr a	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	19	- 24	= 0	x \$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	6	- 6	= 0	x \$84.00	\$ 0.00
First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$270)					0.00
Total of above Calculation					\$0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)					1.0
Subtotal					\$ 0.00
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)					0.00
TOTAL					\$ 0.00

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on September 5, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attorney for Applicant(s)

September 5, 2003
Date of Signature

Appl. No. 09/738,456
Amdt. dated September 5, 2003
Reply to Office Action of June 5, 2003

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **June 5, 2003**,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

1. **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the
listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper;
and
2. **Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.